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I don?t believe that the proposed settlement in the Microsoft anti trust case is fair in any way. I am a computer technician that has been working with Microsoft software for more that 12 years. I have repeatedly seen Microsoft use its monopolistic advantage to destroy the competition. The proposed settlement only helps Microsoft conquer one of the last areas that it doesn?t have a monopoly: the education system. I find this to be absurd. Also there are so many loop holes in the proposed settlement that the punishment will be less than a slap on the wrist.

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